

Amendment No. 1 to HB2615

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 3565

House Bill No. 2615*

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by deleting Section 1 of the bill in its entirety and substituting instead the following

SECTION 1. There is hereby created a special joint legislative study committee to consider, evaluate, and make recommendations regarding improvements to the Tennessee wildlife resources agency, including, but not limited to, the issues of state and federal funding sources and how it is governed and managed. The committee shall also study the possibility of generating TWRA funding through oil and mineral leases, including examining the best practices used by other states such as Arkansas, Oklahoma, Kentucky, and Texas. The committee shall make policy recommendations concerning the generation of TWRA funding through potential oil and mineral rights leases in Tennessee.